



Facts About . . . Mercury Thermometer Recycling

ESTABLISHED MERCURY THERMOMETER DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

Why should I recycle my mercury thermometer?

Mercury is a toxic heavy metal substance that can cause serious impact to human health and the environment. One of the largest household sources of mercury is a glass-mercury thermometer that can easily be broken.

If a mercury thermometer is broken, toxic mercury can be released into the home. Contact with mercury can cause serious health consequences that affect the brain and nervous system.

| Facility | Location | Contacts |
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| Baltimore City | 2840 Sisson Street Citizens' Convenience Center | (410) 396-4511 |
| Baltimore County | Eastern Sanitary Landfill @ 6259 Days Cove Road (White Marsh) Mon-Sat 7:30 – 3:30; Central Acceptance Facility at 201 W. Warren Rd. Mon-Sat 7:00 – 4:00; Western Acceptance Facility @ 3310 Transway (Halethorpe) Mon-Sat 7:00 – 4:00 www.baltimorecountymd.gov/Agencies/publicworks/solid_waste/facilities.html | 410-887-3745 |
| Calvert County Solid Waste Facility | Appeal Landfill 401 Sweet Water Road Lusby, MD 20657 | William Teter 410-326-0210 |
| Charles County Household Hazardous Events | First Saturday of each month, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. 10430 Audie Lane La Plata, MD 20646 | Department of Public Works 301-932-5656 |
| Cecil County Health Department | 401 Bow Street Elkton, MD 21921 | Chuck Smyser 410-996-5160 |
| Dorchester County Health Department Family Preventative Health Services | 503 B Muir Street Cambridge, MD 21613 | Theresa Cornish 410-228-3294 |

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| Harford County Department of Public Works | Office of Recycling 3241 Scarboro Road Street, MD 21154 | Wendy Doring 410-638-3417 |
| Howard County Health Department | Howard County Health Dept. 7178 Columbia Gateway Dr. Columbia, MD 21046-2147 410-313-6300 Southeastern Health Center 9525 Durness Lane Laurel, MD 20723 410-880-5888 | Bureau of Environmental Health 410-313-2640 |
| Kent County Health Department | 125 Lynchburg Street Chestertown, MD 21620 | John Beskid 410-778-1350 |
| Prince George's County Sanitary Landfill HHW Site | 11611 White House Rd. Upper Marlboro, MD 20774 | Waste Reduction Section 301-883-5045 |
| Queen Anne's County Health Dept., Clinical Programs | 206 N. Commerce Street Centreville, MD 21617 | Connie Ralph 410-758-0720 |
| Somerset County Solid Waste Department | 11916 Somerset Avenue, Princess Anne, MD 21853 | Charles Cavanaugh 410-651-9641 |
| St. Mary's County Dept. of Public Works & Transportation | Held twice a year (Spring and Fall) at St. Andrews Landfill, 44837 St. Andrews Church Road, California, MD 20619 | Nick Zurkan 301-475-4200 Ext. 3550 |
| Washington County Health Department | 13332 Pennsylvania Avenue, Hagerstown, MD 21742 | Elaine Rose 240-313-3400 |
| Wicomico County Solid Waste Division | 6948 Brick Kiln Road, Salisbury, MD 21801 | Steve Chamberlain 410-548-4935 |
| Worcester County Health Department | 6040 Public Landing Road, Snow Hill, MD 21863 | Tony Fambro 410-632-1100 |

To transport the thermometer, put it in a small plastic soda bottle or keep it in its original container.